# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# AGRICULTURE
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3148
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NATIONAL PROJECT FOR CATTLE AND BUFFALOE BREEDING
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**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

(a) whether a proposal for sanction of Centrally sponsored scheme of National Project for Cattle and Buffaloe Breeding has been sent by the Government of Tamil Nadu;

(b) if so, whether sanction has since been accorded; and

(c) the details of sanction of the said scheme to various States during the last three years?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a): Yes, Sir. A proposal of Govt. of Tamil Nadu under National Project (NPCBB) for Cattle & Buffalo Breeding was received in April 2001, requesting central assistance to the tune of Rs.10019.97 lakh.

(b): After the launch of NPCBB in October 2001, the States were requested to submit proposal in the prescribed format in conformity with the guidelines for the scheme. However, the Government of Tamil Nadu is yet to constitute a State Implementing Agency (SIA) which is a requirement under the Scheme.

(c): A total sum of Rs.1570.75 lakhs was released under NPCBB during 2000-01 to the following States:-

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Haryana    - Rs.523.00 lakh
Punjab    - Rs.501.00 lakh
Andhra pradesh   - Rs.339.00 lakh
Manipur    - Rs.67.75 lakh
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